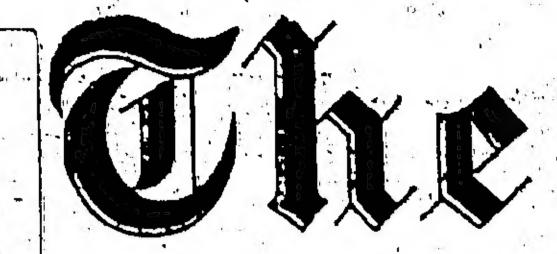
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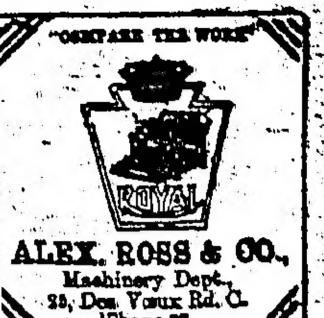
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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Ractor's Service to the China Meil.)

PROPOSED CAPITAL LEVIES.

estimating the net increase of national wealth between 1914 and 1919 at

four thousand millions stering, whereof two hundred millions is estimated

to have been made by 280 individuals. - It is suggested that a war levy

made by the taxpayer. The Board suggests that the detection of wilful

FRENCH STRIKE IS SERIOUS

Owing to the seriousness of the situation, M. Millerand hastily journeyed

from London to Paris. The Government decided to mobilise all strikers.

It is feared that a general strike all over the country will begin to-morrow.

The strike is unpopular and the public will support the government's strong

left his work without permission, but the extremist leaders are now dem-

anding nationalisation and declare the strike is the beginning of a soviet

FIVE MILLION MORE FEMALE VOTERS.

twenty-one and the addition of five millions of voters to the register.

GERMAN CRIMINALS PREFER GERMAN TRIAL.

AVIATION BULLETIN.

The position of the various participants in the Cairo to Cape flight is

The Handley-Page crashed five miles north of Shereik station. The

thus indicated: Cockerell has left Kisumu for Tabora. The Silver Queen

has arrived at Kisumu. The service Vickers-Vimy has arrived at Assuan.

The DH14 crashed at Sant Euphemia, Italy. The Handley-Page was

machine is unrepairable, though the engines are uninjured. No one was

SOVIET RUSSIA

READY TO BUY PEACE.

peace proposal pledges the establishment of democratic principles in Russia,

the convocation of the constituent assembly, the withdrawal of the decree-

annulling Russia's foreign debt to the extent of re-establishment of sixty

per cent, of the liabilities; also the payment of arrears of interest, guarante.

ed by considerable platinum and silver mining concessions to an Anglo-

American syndicate. The Soviet requires Great Britain and other countries.

to abandon intervention in Russian affairs. It also proposes that the United

FAKED 2100 NOTES.

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being re-circulated and cashed. The practice is to cancel the notes by

perforation and tearing off the lower righthand corners & Examination

DUBLIN'S QUEER FIX.

shows that the re-circulated notes are most skillfully repaired.

The Daily Mail reveals a plot whereby cancelled £100 banknotes are

States grant a credit to Russia in consideration of large concessions.

An Associated Press message from Washington says the Soviet's new

The latest news from France shows the railway attike is spreading.

should be primarily charged upon individuals, starting from a clear

penalties and imprisonment.

withholding recognition.

power to requisition motors.

ing to trial by a German court.

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A Board of Inland Revenue memorandum furnishes striking figures,

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MELBOURNE, Feb. 27. Ross-Smith after a number of delays in flying across Australia, has finally completed his flight from London to Melbourne, and was presented with a cheque for £10,000 at a gala reception.

ROSS-SMITH GETS HIS CHEQUE.

CABLE DELAYS.

LONDON, Feb. 27. The Eastern cable company announces temporary delays owing to con gestion due to interruption of Pacific cables

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

ST. DAVID'S DAY. LONDON, March 1st. St. Davide Day was celebrated in

London by a banquet at which the Prince of Walco was the principal guest and Mr. Lloyd George presided.
Mr. Lloyd George received a tremendous ovation on proposing "Wales and her Prince."

The Prime Minister, in a speech in which he gave full play to his oratorical powers, referred to the Prince's characteristic charms which won all hearts from the time of his first appearance in Wales, and, then, to the stimulating effects proparison of two aggregate capital values fixed at June 30, 1914 and June 30 duced by the Prince's inspiring presence 1919. Returns of value as well as of sources of wealth would have to be

"He is our greatest Ambassador," Mr Lloyd George said. In touching upon His Royal Highness's recent visit to Canada and America the

evasion should result in the recovery of the duty due, also heavy money Premier emphasised that the greatest troubles of the international or even of Imperial Governments and affairs were things never publicly referred to, but yet were there deep down interfering with their mechanism. Mr. Lloyd George continued: "He

vent to Canada and America, and his presence simplified matters, lubricated the machinery and rendered undying service to the British Empire and humanity. In a few days he is quitting these shores for Australia, New Zealand, and after a short interval visits the great dependency of India.

measures. The trouble originated by the suspension of one carpenter who Mr. Lloyd George said that he would not hesitate to say-speaking with every sense of responsibility-that after the movement. It is noteworthy that the general federation of labour is Prince of Walca'-visit the British Empire will be as strong as it is. It will be stronger for that visit.

Mr. Lloyd George proceeded: "He The railway strike has considerably extended this morning. The has come at the right moment. He is a great piece of luck for the British Nord and Est systems are now affected. The suburban service is prac-Empire-(Cheers)-and is Wales's mascot tically paralysed. Geneva station is choked with packing-cases destined -(Cheers)-for he is the Prince of Wales for Lyons fair, opening on March 1. The cabinet has approved a reduction everywhere." He concluded by describof meat courses at restaurants owing to the strike. It also proposed to obtain ing His Royal Highness as the most popular Prince Wales had since the days of Owen Glendower-(Loud cheers).

His Royal Highness the Prince of Walesresponding, said that he was very glad that his last public function in the Old Country, before sailing for Australia and New Zealand, should have been that dinner. - He rallied the Prime Minister on The House of Commons unanimously passed the second reading of making a speech all about him and with the labour party's bill enfranchising women similarly to men. This means saving nothing about Wales. the reduction of the age qualification of women voters from thirty to

His Highness referred to Wales's splendid traditions and the exploits of Welshmen in the Navy and of Welsh Regiments in war time.

The Prince, after interposing a sentence In Welsh which was received with immensa enthusiasm, said that he hoped to be in New South Wales next June. He will be Ludendorff, Tirpitz, Falkenhayn, Kluck, Manteuffel and others have ever mindful of the high and clorious, traditions which had won for Welshmen issued a declaration refusing to appear before any foreign court, but agreethe place they hold not only in the British Empire but throughout the world.

REDS ADVANCE ON STAYROPOL.

LONDON, March 1st. The War Office reports that on February 25th the Bolsheviks, advancing on Stavropol, were thrown back ten miles. Astride the Tsaritsin-Ekaterinodar Railway, the Red Cavalry has been forced back with heavy losses. On the East shore of the Black Sea, the Green Guards seized Tuapse. The British warship Steadfast was fired on from Tuapse and received several hits from sixty-pounders.

A South Russian communiqué dated February 28th states that the Bolsheviks wre advancing on a broad front, extend ing East to Rostoff and North to Stavropol. Bolshevist attacks on the Lower Don were repulsed with severe losses.

MOTOR FUEL PRICES.

The report of the Profiteering Sub-Committee on the price of motor fuel is a most interesting document. It declares that the present high prices are due to demand outstripping the supply, and that the average cost of production of petrol should not exceed 150s, per ton reveals a grossly excessive profit. I recommends that the whole question of production, price, and distribution motor fuel should engage the attention of the League of Nations, or be made the subject of an international agreement. It strongly emphasises that, on the expiry in 1922 of the existing contracts binding the Anglo-Persian Oil Company -in which the British Government has a controlling interest-steps should be taken to ensure a reasonable price for Britain, irrespective of other countries. Referring to the cost of transport the report points out that the rate between the North Atlantic ports and the United Kingdom before the war was 18s. per ton and now it is 220s, between the Persian Gulf and the United Kingdom 308s. per ton as compared with 36s. before the war, and between Borneo and the United Kingdom 410s, per ton as compared with 46s. As a countermove to the municipal cutting off of lights, armoured ed, before the war. cars and wagons equipped with searchlights are nightly patrolling

. The report suggests that a fair average rate could not exceed 100s., even for the Gulf ports, and recommends fixing the retail price of No. 1 petrol at 34id. The report describes the situation as alarming, and strongly believes that the ultimate solution is the production of Home or Empire produced power alcohol. and recommends that the production and distribution of power alcohol should be under Government control and also suggests a tax on motor fuel more equitable than the tax on motor cars.

> CHINESE FELLOW-OF-LONDON COLLEGE.

LONDON, February 26th. Mr. Heun Yuen-beur, Councillor of the Cabinet of the Republic of China, has been appointed a Fellow of University College, London.

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GLOOMY PROSPECT FOR THE PUBLIC.

A home drapery trade correspondent writes to The Times :-

the signing of the Armistice expectation became fairly general among traders, that drapery and clothing Every manufacturing cost, including and permanently, from the high levels to which they had attained during the war. In that belief many manufacturers, wholes ders, retailers, and shippers, who had covered their requirements for several months ahead in anticipation of a prolongation of the war well into 1919, made frantic efforts to cancel their engage.

Government officials in charge of wool textile supplies for military needs were also of this impression and the official issue prices for wool and tops were reduced several pence per pound, so that "cheaper ciothing would be available." As a matter of fact prices did fall poticeably but that was merely a temporary decline due entirely to the great majority of buyers "holding off." the market for a few months. Obviously, the cessation of buying could not continue indefinitely, for stocks were gradually being depleted, and there was only one alternative to replenishing them, and that was to close down altogether and go out of supplies wherever they can and at business.

Gradually, therefore, home trade buyers were forced on the market and steadily increasing volume of from the Continent. Quotations im-To-day, they are far above anything

in their upward progress. deficit of supplies for civilian trade offect apparel prices for some time soil Dr. Williams' pink pills; also post was consequently built up during the afterwards, as practically all cloth free, at \$1.50 the bottle. \$8/- for six, war, and it will take many months to purchases for next autumn and winter. Reachner Road, Shanohai, to burchases for next autumn and winter. wipe it off. There are no signs whatever of much business has been placed for

year. In every direction the rates for materials are steadily mounting, and the world demand for apparel is heavily in excess offthe world's supply. With the whole world clamouring for greatly increased supplies, there has been a demand on the part

of labour in almost every country for a house which bears a number they a reduction of working hours, bring dislike—it is generally that of the ing production in many cases down policeman who effected their arrest to below the pre-war level, and on a previous occasion. Others will accentuating still further the wide not undertake a midnight job if there Rather more than a year ago after margin between demand and supply. is a new moon, this has been regardartificial silk fabrics all are on a a full moon gladdens the heart of much higher level than ever before. Bill Sikes.

prices would come down speedily the very important one of labour raw wool rates was admittedly re-London and elsewhere, but this has but in regard to woollens and arrest. worsteds the principal factor is the advances: To take one case alone, weeks ago have been raised 2s. 3d. early closing day. ". a yard for overcoatings for next

winter season. The great difficulty with many producers of clothing and drapery is to obtain adequate supplies of maierials. Buyers | who have | delayed purchasing in the fear that values might tumble after they had bought now find themselves caught short and to keep their factories going they will be compelled to pick up whatever price in demanded of them. Silk has become a difficult pro-

blem recently, and the situation is again and they found that a vast likely to become worse. The consumption of silk goods throughout urgent business was also coming the world, and particularly in the United States, has increased enormously in the last few years, and, on The full measure of the dearth qualities, and a dearth of female of supplies caused by the war has labour for the trimming processes. apparently not been generally realiz. Open orders are being placed for 1921 was stopped completely for years, cent. on a year ago, Japanese plait and in France and Italy output was merchants having broken their conof comparatively small dimensions. tracts with English importers and of this improvement is a keen appetite About 80 per cent, of the woollen sold the straw at much higher prices for meals and ability to digest food, trade production in this country was to American and other buyers. on official account, and the War Supplies will in consequence be short, Office absorbed approximately three- and merchants have been rationed fourths of the output from the whole. Even if rates for raw materials break sale clothing factories. An enormous in the coming months this will not

have been made, and, in addition,

cheaper clothing during the present | the spring and summer of 1921.

BURGLARS' BELIEFS.

Seldom will a burglar proceed to crack a crib" without a mascot of some sort in his possession.

Some burglars will not break into Wool, cotton, linen, silk, and ed as a bad omen, but a halo round

Pickpockets, too, are highly superstitious. The light-fingered fraterncontinues to advance. A drop in ity seldom pick the pockets of a cross-eyed or a club-footed person. corded at the last auction sales in To do so would mean courting disaster. Finding a twisted coin exercised no effect on quotations for among the contents of a stolen varns or pieces. Necessarily values purse will often induce a pickpocket of the raw materials govern to some to throw the purse away. The keepextent prices for the made up goods, ling of it is supposed to signify early

Before commencing their nefarious output from the spinning mills, the work, some pickpockets look about dyers, and the weaving sheds." Even for the first policeman in sight. during the past week woollen man- Should the broad back of the man in ufacturers have notified further blue be turned towards them, a profitable day is assured: if he faces approximate prices quoted only six them, the majority will plump for an

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likely to go into a decline. A wise mother recognises these signs continued to advance ever since, the other hand, production has of snewis. Too little blood, she says sensibly diminshed. Prices continue and pale as the girl herself. There's that was thought possible during to advance. Felt hats are greatly the cause of weakness and arrested deveeven the worst days of the war, and below demand, mainly on account of lopment. The siling ansonic girl must they give no indications of stopping the lack and the extraordinarily have new, healthy blood and Dr. Williams pink pills supply that need, as is in their upward progress. As the new rich blood made by Dr. Williams' pink pills nourishes every part of the system, so bloodless girls and ed. Production in a number of the delivery. Quotations for men's stray young women become brighter. They belligerent countries on the Continent boater" hats are up 25 to 30 per bave the sparkle of health, they are no longer breatnless and thin, but hearty and full of life. One of the earliest signs,

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BOLSHEVISTS ACTIVE IN GREAT BRITAIN.

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A London message dated January to the New York Times, states :-Bolshevist agitators in this country are working energetically along lines similar to those projected by the radicals in America, namely, the overthrow of the Government and: the establishment of a Soviet form of Government

It is thought probable that the plans on this side of the Atlantic have not yet reached the point achieved by those in the United States, but it is believed that the radicals here rapidly are reaching the point where they might seize upon some big labour strike as an opportunity for starting a revolutionary movement

While these facts are common THE FINAL DIVIDEND declared knowledge to close observers of the for the year ending 31st Decem- situation, it is said to be impossible speech to do much more than watch the progress of events. The mere fact that an individual, or an organization, is allied with the Moscow Internationale and is preaching revolution by innuendo is declared to be insufficient ground for police action. In other words, it is declared, the British, breadly speaking, cannot take preventive measures. but must be content to deal with some actual event.

Great Britain can and does deport undesirable aliens, but in the case of British subjects the situation is more delicate. There are several extremist organizations in London and in various parts of the country. some political and others allegedly allied with the extremist aberites. who arowedly are Bolshevist, or communist.

Individual agitators daily are spreading about huge quantities of written propaganda and lecturing throughout the country. There also are some half a dozen periodicals which are out and out "Reds," and some of them make no pretensions of hiding the fact that they are advocating Soviet rule in Great Britain.

. THE RED IDEA. There are only a few big Red following to form a goodly sized

up has been conducted and the property | The Red ideal it is asserted, is to work for affiliation with existing be organizations, rather than for the creation of new ones. The agitators cannot be reached by the law except for direct incitement to revolt, or for some other breach of the peace.

The famous Albert Hall in London. with all its historic associations connected with the throne, has been used for what virtually were Boishevist meetings, at which extremist speeches were delivered and "The Red Flag" was sung to the accompaniment of the great organ. Similar meetings regularly are held in Hyde Park and other places in London, and the police are bound to protect the speakers so long as there is no actual

Still, Great Britain, seemingly is the New French Loan 5% 1920 from of events, believing in the power of attempt to use force and trusting in The Loan is free of income tax and the good sense of the public not to

half-yearly drawings, the interest Soviet centres, backed by American established in Glasgow, with subcommittees in various towns in the Partly paid subscriptions at 101 per Ciyde district, according to the Glasgow correspondent of "The Daily Mail." Commenting on this report, Lon-

don labour leaders recall that Scottish branches, of the Independent Labour Party have passed resolutions favouring affiliation with the Moscow Internationale. These branches are held responsible by the labour chiefs for whatever Communistic sentiment may exist in Scottish labour ranks. The next Independent Labour Party conference will be held in the course of the present year, which gives assurance of a predominance of Scottish delegates over those from other parts of Great Britain. It is not believed, however that they will be able to obtain adoption of a resolution transferring affiliation of the Independent Labour Party from the old Internationale headquarters at Berne to Moscow This would imply withdrawal from the British Labour Party, with which the Independent Labour Party is affiliated, a relationship, which the Scottish branches of the latter party repeatedly have approved.

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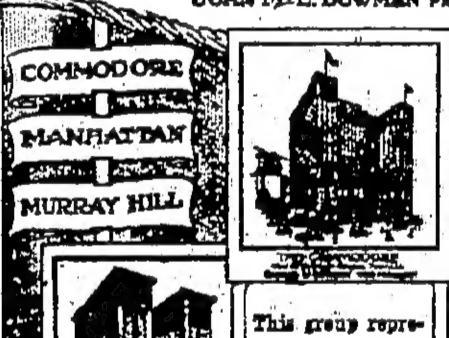
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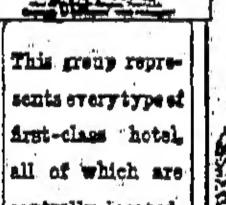
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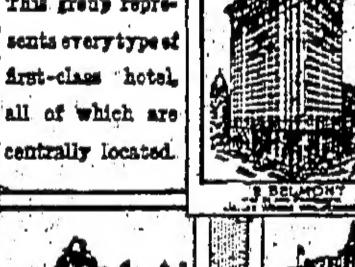
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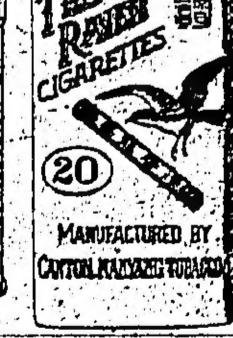


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we have said so plainly in this column, although we have not refrained from pointing out what we believed to be Japanese faults. This new and outwardly attractive publication has made us gasp, and taught us that the era of propaganda is, after all we have observed, marvelled at, and deplored, still in its infancy. We fear The Asian Review will defeat its own object, by "protesting too much. "Perhaps it was right to dis-

semble your love, But why did you kick me Providence, but keep your powder downstairs?

The Asian Review breathes the .. blasphemous doctrine." So it is. spirit of love and sweet reasonableness, and kicks its friends who of this beautifully printed prohappen to have fallen downstairs. paganda of Peace and Light, of Japan's ambition, according to the Repose and Idealism,' so we editorial foreword, is to " cannot go on quoting indefinitely. European culture to survive itself by giving it a new hope through to add that there are several the infusion of the spirit of repose columns describing the British and idealism for which Asia frightfulness ! st Amritsar in stands." "We accept the responsibility of our destiny with humi-Wow! What is it that Dr. Watts says?

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as Sam Weller asked, be fairer than that?" A Japanese is the racial equal of regarded the proposition from quite improvement and recovery. The -S. F. Chronicle.

an ominous programme for augil

menting their navies." "Their

Hang 'em. "Put your faith in

dry '' is, says the new editor, a

India, a story about which the

Hongkong papers have been re-

markably discreet. As the China

Mail is one of them, we may as

well add that we had to be. The

Asian Review has more freedom

ADVERSARIA.

than we have.

hard, but at the end of their strenuous journey they relax and chatter and laugh. At the end of a day in a Lancashire factory laughter does not come so easily." Machinery is used, not to save labour, but to save the wages of labour. Its effect is an exaggerated output, which means forced markets, excessive cheapness, long hours, and; low wages. We work in a vicious circle, from which there seems no quacks. The top-dogs, of course, moral cowardice is hypocrisy. are what they always were. They an American, but there are peoples don't care. Why should they? who are not the racial equals of the Don't worry about the Chinese

Muscular expenditure is a

The difference between work and

sport need be very little. It is:

drudgery which spoils lives, and

the so-called "labour saving"

machinery has made workmen

into drudges. Our coolies work

give his opinion.

what ?"

There is a denial of aggressive, and better off than our European ness toward China, supported by coolies. His desires are fewer, his the remark (page 4) about "the needs simpler, and at the last he accomplishment by America and goes as all men go." Great Britain, with scientific pre-We are rather cision, of the most skilfully per-AMERICAN amused by the dicfected designs for territorial ag-

coolie. He is infinitely happier

grandisement. The same writer (president of the Kokuryu-kai) says Francisco the aftermath of the war cast a case. English legal jargon can be billion dollars the first year and six M.B.E.), and J. E. Duff (L.-Cpl.). shadow on the moral prestige of quaint enough, as we all know; to eight hundred millions a year HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 1920. the European nations. Does but for a soul-satisfying collocation thereafter, should not even be connot England cover half the world of vituperative expressions against the bis time. Nobody, not with her colonies and dominions?" the party of the other part, we sidered at this time. Nobody, not "Dunera," was this morning charged with her colonies and dominions? the party of the other part, we sidered at this time. Robody, her before Mr. N. D. Smith with the unMembers of the Japanese Parlia- recommend the following as a even the league of nations, is likely
ment. Peers, foreign Ministers, the model. It is from the affidavit of to make war on us in the near future. opium. He said the drug did not Premier, bankers, viscounts, ad- the aggrieved husband. The co- In fact, as an entirely peaceable out- belong to him. The Police said that We have just received the first mirals, marquises, newspapermen, respondent is a minister of the sider the covenant promises us the when the search party went on board when the search party went on board as the protection of the league, so long as protection of the leag number of the mass of the desired of the Asian taining their blessings on the enter- in, declares the husband, he had we behave ourselves, which we shall sitting on his bunk. As soon as he front!" Review, published in English in prise, so that with such sponsors his wife's love, respect, and good try to do. We have often thought we are not lightly to cavil at any- will." The withdrawal of these There are two reasons, both con- the bunk and threw it on the floor. dapan. We have often thing it says. Possibly it may even made him "sick in mind and clusive, why we should refuse to When the parcel was opened, it was that much of anti-Japanese com- thing it says. Possibly it may even made him "sick in mind and clusive, why we should refuse to When the parcel was opened, it was

acts belie their professions." The China Mail regrets it, but this is a complaint common to publicists and politicians. "Sack the lot." There are over a hundred pages It may be sufficiently indicative

non that whether coolie stitch of tyranny in time saves opinion. The Federal Government He considers the social aspects of to constipation it is easily corrected by States will also be given an outlet to Racial Equality, friend the point, whether coolie stitch of tyranny in time saves opinion. The Federal Government He considers the social aspects of to constipation it is easily corrected by States will also be given an outlet to We know all about that. Things labour noght not to be replaced nine. Nine what? Dollars? has already made more secret enemies Bolshevism, its attitude towards taking an constimal desert Chamber. which are equal to the same thing more largely locally by machinery. In God we trust. Luckily the than enough by drastic changes in individual rights, property, and the lain's Tableta. These tablets are easy to are no longer equal to each other. especially by motor trucks. He States are big, and have room for domestic habits. Let us have a rest. industrial system. It is a book to be taken and pleasured by Orleans has been selected as a port.

another point of view, and so im- big "bust up." is coming we can pressed her with his argument that feel its vibrations now—in the dear, such "progress" as she thought little over-crowded land at Home. desirable would take the rice out We shall regret it and deplore it of the mouths of poor Chinese that as much as you will; but don't say she called upon the Adversarian to we did not forewarn you.

The explorer Dr. CHINA Geil "-we never heard It is a very old story, AN OLD well known to English LEADS, of the gent, before; but STORY. folk since the Chartist no doubt he is some exagitation that was born plorer—has been interviewed by of the frightful sufferings following Reuter. He reports a strong the Napoleonic war. We had new movement by all classes of Bolshevism then, under different Chinese in favour of Christianity. names. One party thought votes Hoorny! Would to God we could potatoes from a cargo which was would improve the miserable lot of have a similar movement at Home, being unloaded at Taikoo-yesterday. evil lay in the tax on corn. The It would cure everything.

"authorities." thought them all There seems to be and used troops. ELITERARY a craze in London against them. The poor were so just now for the wretched that nothing else matter-Eventually political reforms One of the came—half-hearted compromises, juveniles. and those begrudged-but the seed, sellers was a childish novel was planted for the spirit of the (wrongly suspected at first as a day. Meanwhile, all parties re- Barrie joke) and now a publisher from the s.s. Lysang," yesterday, cognized, that machinery had not is bragging about securing the a Chinese was this morning awarded proved an unmixed blessing. It rights to a volume of poems by a 6 weeks jail by Mr. Irving. He was meant progress, but progress to chit of fourteen. Perhaps she seen by a watchman tucking the pin learned in suffering what she in his waist band and arrested. It meant a stupend- taught in song." They do still spank 'em, don't they?' Or are WHY LIVE? ous growth of Bri-

> The Adversarian, for his fellow men, HERE. is inaugurating a

no curse in hard physical labour or prohibition campaign in Hongkong. in the sweat of honest toil. That The Curse of Drink is nowhere place at the University on Sunday,

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APOTHEGM: famous governor of Malaya, says

escape. As to remedies, we are as the worst and the truest accusation much mixed and divided as they that can be brought against Engwere in the 'thirties and 'forties, lishmen is that so many of them The Bolshies and the Radicals and are moral cowards. It may help seven-and-twenty different to clarify his intention if we point brands of Socialist are all alike out that the major symptom of

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ment has been unjust and unfound. be good tactics to prove the white- body." He would not have suffer- take up the subject of military train- found to contain the opium. ment has been unjust and the first of the pot by directing attented so but for the wrongful, deceiting at this time. The first is Worship imposed a fine of \$900 and much of it mere prejudice, and ness of the blackware of the bl tion to the blackness of the kettle, ful, treacherous, malicious, lying, financial. We must raise by taxa, six weeks hard labour. It is certainly a shrewd thrust to malevolent, vicious, base, evil, tion an immense sum to make good point out that the chief opponents insidious, artful, unrighteous, dis the deficit from operation of the "militarism" - America and loyal, traitorous, falsehearted, sly, railroads. We shall doubtless, for appointed British Ambassador to Great Britain, page 29 are the conniving, sinister, skulking, hypo- humanity's sake, authorize the Grain Japan, who was to leave London on first to break the very backbone critical and sneaking acts prompted Corporation to sell \$160,000,000 Feb. 7 for Tokyo to take up his of the League of Nations" by by the lustful, lecherous and pru- worth of grain to Austria on diplomatic duties, was entertained by navalism, by "embarking on rient carnal desires." of the pastor. time, with little prospect of getting the Chinese Minister and Mme. Sze paid, We are still borrowing money to a farewell dinner at the Legation One of our re- to pay off war claimants. There are in Portland Place on Jan. 16. Among receipts of the canal transit regularly, THE NEW SPAPER porters has dis- billions of dollars due our citizens on the guests present to meet Sir these receipts are given in francs covered that the trade balances which they may or Charles Eliot were the Japanese like all the accounts of the Company, local police moved may not be able to collect. European Ambassador, Viscountess. Chinda, since it is supposed to be a French against a Chinese editor and his governments owe us nearly ten billion Sir Maurice and Lady de Bunsen, concern. The boats that transit staff in consequence of representa- dollars, upon which they cannot even Lord and Lady Inchcape, Lord through the canal belong to all the tions from Canton. The Canton pay the interest, so that taxes to the Chalmers, ex-Governor of Ceylon, nationalities and it would be interestauthorities allege that this Hong- amount of about \$500,000,000 a Sir James and Lady Cantlle, Sir ing to know in what money the kong paper published articles "cal- year are to be added to pay interest Charles and Lady Addis, Sir John passage dues are paid. If the faxes culated to cause mutiny amongst on money borrowed by other nations. and Lady Tilley, Mr. M. T. Liang, are paid in francs, the Company is the Canton troops." They have Every adjunct to our Federal Govern- formerly Chinese Minister for Foreign losing at present through the rate of martial law in Canton at present, ment put on as a "war emergency" Affairs. Sir, John MacLeavy Brown, exchange, especially as its local staff and—but we had better be careful, measure is insisting not only on Mr. Barton, and Mr. Wickham is probably paid in Egyptian curor they'll be after us, too. How remaining but expanding, and while Steed. queer an this is to the English we are struggling to pry them toose.

Messrs. Stanley Paul & Co. will currency varying according to the mind. Just as if the Germans had all the chances are against us, and won, and we were living under all reasonable and many unreason publish immediately "Bolshevist shipe" nationality, the Company is able methods of taxation are about Russia" by Etienne Antonelli. M. probably making a serious profit on

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

To-day's dollar is worth 5s. 71d.

Tai O police station was connected up on the telephone yester-

The Danes, attracted by high prices and favourable exchange, are sending cargoes of butter to New

Charged with stealing 12 lbs. of the people. Another thought the especially among our ruling classes. a Chinese was given 6 weeks hard

The annual meeting of

literary output of Rooms, King's Buildings on Friday. best March 25, at 5.45 p.m. For the theft of an iren pin

Two Chinese who are wanted

tish trade, and a nursery spankings out of fashion? by the Canton authorities for kidnapping and robbery in the Sun Tak district on Aug. 25, were brought. PROHIBITION, out of pure love before Mr. Smith this morning and formally remanded for a week.

A special congregation takes is the biggest lie in the Bible, and more apparent. Speakers are want- the degree ceremony commencing at must have originated from some of ed for a mass meeting in Statue 4 p.m. The congregation was those bone-lazy beggars in Pales- Square, on the 1st of next month. | originally called for Monday but A. P. Sinnett is shipping movements have necessitat-80 ed the alteration of the date.

> Murders," and other crimes of violence, have grown so common in London that the police there have been warned to smarten up, and seven. long-timers were dismissed for neglect. It would be interesting to know if the seven were conspicuous in the recent strike.

A boxing tournament under the auspices of the Hongkong Boxing Association is to be held to-morrow cover a five cent piece. But it is a night at "the Theatre Royal commencing at 9.15. The welterweight Sir Frank. Swet- championship of the Colony will be A SWETTENHAM tenham, the most contested by Sky Kerrison (holder) and Iron Bux.

> We are informed by Bishop Pozzoni that the Mission to be conducted by the Redemptorist Fathers in the Catholic Cathedral will commence on Sunday, the 7th inst., and finish on Sunday, the 14th. There will be Sermon every evening at 6 p.m. and during the 7.30 a.m. Mass on weekdays and 9.30 a.m. Mass on Sundays.

The following are declared suc-"cessful for Eastern Cadetships, subject to their being found qualified UN VERSAL M LITARY TRAIN. respect of health. The names are given in order of merit, with their rank with the Forces in parentheses: -S. Hoare (Lt.), D. F. Jerrold (Lt. R.N.V.R.), A. Dibdin, (Capt.), R. C. Leader of the House Mondell is G. Dartford (Capt., M.C.), D. LANGUAGE. documents in a San emphatically right when he says that Woodburn (Lt.). W. C. Hankinson divorce universal military training, to cost a Hutson (Capt.), A. Rowlands (Lt.,

A lascar on board the s.s.

The old principles exhausted. Decent regard for pru- Antonelli, who was religious at tache exchange, for its receipts are expression of political free- demands that we positively at the French Embessy in Russia ed by keeping the franc to its EVERTWHERE. dom and free refuse to take on the cost of universal during 1917 and 1918, witnessed the nominal value in comparison with speech are getting it in the solar plexus likewise in brown when the foreign described and paid off and we the Kerensky regime, the rise to arises: Where do the benefits go? It in the solar plexus likewise in know where we financially stand.

America, the land that fought to The other reason is equally concerns the world and for demand the company has refused. The other reason is equally concerns the world and for demand the company has refused. The other reason is equally concerns the world and for demand the company has refused. make the world sale for demo- clusive and even more important, partial survey of the movement, to give any detail or explanation on Cuba. This service will play a large cracy. Deportations (in many Like the prohibition amendment, The author gives a lucid account of the matter. Perhaps some Hongcases for mere "hot air.") are military training intrudes into the the Liberal. Socialist and Populist kong shareholder could find out for rice trade in Cuba and the West common there now, in the home life of every family in the country, movements which led up to the us the key to the riddle. of the free and the asylum of the and makes radical changes in i mily seizure of governing power by the oppressed. How far the old spirit habits. No such thing should be Bolshevist leaders. He explains their One of our lady has gone may be estimated by the stiempted until the entire people doctrine. He describes their at itude PROGRESS TO contributors has following apology, which we dig have had opportunity to consider it towards the prolemant and the WHAT? been discussing from an American paper :- De in all its aspects, including the addit political parties, their doctrine of been discussing from an American paper: De in all its aspects, including the additionalities, and their Poreign Policy Women of the despondent. When this is due its directness. The Southern United

SAGE.

[By "Bella Spree" for the China Mail.]

CHERCHEZ LA PEMME.

It was a plain sensible, practical talk that Rev. N. Teesdale Mackintosh Ventris, CB. gave at the Helena May Institute yesterday afternoon. The subject of it was well appropriate to the Lent. season: "How can women roll off the stone of moral obstacles?"

It is always very satisfactory and the flattering, aye, even inspiring (for Institution of Engineers and Ship- women) to hear the so-called strong sex acknowledge the fact that we are a power in the home as well as: in society: "Women make and undo the household."

> You may argue that we know too well about it and should like to hear newer truths. You are slightly of Councils). mistaken kind Sir: Does not a selfconscious beauty like both men and on the table by the Colonial Secretary. minors tell her for ever of her sweet confirmation? (at least so I am told). Do not children like to repeat the things they know best, and to listen over and over to their favourite stories?

Since they alone give the tone to. Hongkong Society, the women of our colony can give to this city a good name for snebbishness er hospitality according to their own sweet will. The poor man has only to follow in the trail.

Somebody asked me: do women like to dress, is for themselves, for their friends or to be admired by men?" Think of asking a woman such a straight-forward question !

Methinks there is in a woman's vanity (what foreigners call coquetterie) a harmonious, may be unconscious mixture of the three feelings: Woman likes beauty in her surround- an Ordinance to amend the Banking understood, charity begins with ance, 1919. oneself," as the French ,say. South America, society ladies confess | error of drafting. that they spend a great deal of The Colonial Secretary seconded money on dress because they see and the Bill was then passed in all

their women relatives too often. "It is not proper for us," an Argentine lady said to me, "too visit too much outside the family circle. Of course, nothing is more critical than our own people of our own sex; so from time to time we sail for Bordeaux and choose dresses ourselves in Paris. Variety in dress is the standard of eleganse in South America."

Notice the display of pretty dresses. to be admired in the so-called "henparties." They bear witness to the consideration at all.

with you this morning? Your hair place by an acting member. for some departed sweetheart?"

use of wasting time on dressing up? a board consisting of only seven

It is in the same line of thought that Chantecleer or the peacock spread their feathers before their cackling companions, that the nightingale sings its sweetest melodies on the highest branch of the grove, and who could blame them for their effort and their success?

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DESPONDENCY DUE TO

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held this morning. Those present were:

His Excellency the Governor (Sir Reginald Edward Stubbe, K.C.M.G.) The General Officer Commanding the Troops (Major-General Francis

The Hon. Colonial Secretary (Dr. Claud Severn, C.M.G.) The Hon. Attorney-General (Mr. J. H. Kemp, K C., CBB.

The Hon. Colonial Treasurer (Mr. R. O. Hutchison.) The Hon. Director of Public Works (Mr. W. Chatham, C.M.G.)

The Hon. Secretary for Chinese Affairs (Mr. E. R. Hallifax, O.B.E.) The Hon. Captain Superintendent of Police (Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe.)

The Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, R.C. Hor. Mr. E. V. D. Parr. Hon. Mr. J. Johnstone. The Hon. Mr. Ho Fook. Mr. A.G. M. Fletcher, O.B.E. (Clerk

The Jury Lists for 1920 were laid The Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock asked: Will the Government appoint Do not sweethearts, a Committee for the purpose of though sure of each other's love, reporting on the desirability o like to hear from the beloved one the amending the Public Health and Building Ordinance 1903, by reducing the height of storeys required in

domestic buildings and thereby lessening the cost of such buildings? H. E. the Governor regulate have no objection to appointing such a Committee if there is a general desire to that effect, but I suggest that it would be equally satisfactory if the Public Works Committee would consider the matter with the assist-

ance of the Medical Officer of Health. NON-FERROUS METALS.

The Attorney General moved the second reading of the Bill intituled an Ordinance to amend the Non-Ferrous Metal Industry Ordinance. 1919, saying the object was to correct

a drafting error. The Celonial Secretary seconded and the Bill was read, later passing in all stages.

The Attorney General moved the second reading of the Bill intituted ings and naturally on herself. "Well- Business (Prohibited Control) Ordin-

He said this was also to correct an

THE LICENSING BOARD.

The Attorney General moved the second reading of the Bill intituled an Ordinance to amend the Liquors Consolidation Ordinance, 1911. He said the Bill proposes to make certain amendments relating to the constitution and other points of the Licensing Board. It proposes to provide that if no nominations are received for any vacancy the Governor shall have power to appoint a member. It also provides, fact that man does not enter into in accordance with existing practice that the justices elected to the Board On the other hand, we overheard shall be elected by the Unofficial this dialogue in the Paris Metro (under- Justices of the Peace, It also makes ground railway) in the first days of clear that when a member is absent from the Colony as soon as he is Why, my dear, what is the matter, absent there is power to fill his is so carelessly dressed: is it grief also provides that the quorum shall be three instead of five as it seemed Non ma chere, but what is the an unnecessarily large quorum for

> The Colonial Secretary seconded and the Bill passed in all stages. The following votes recommended

> by H. E. the Governor came before the Finance Committee and were approved. \$3,750 in aid of the vote Public

Works, Extraordinary, Hongkong, Buildings, Victoria Peak Signal Station, Reinstating Buildings.

The Colonial Secretary said that it had been asked that the signal station on the top of the Peak should be continued as it was useful to the public and to shipping. The result was that it was decided to put the station in order, to get instruments rather more developed than hitherto and to erect buildings fit to live in-The original estimate was \$3,500 and the cost was \$3,750.

\$653 in aid of the vote Police and Prison Departments (A)-Police. Special: Expenditure, New Hull for Steam-Launch "Hapag.".

The Council adjourned sine die.

NEW LINE FROM HONGKONG TO HAVANA.

The establishment of a line of steamers for a service from Hongkong to Havana was announced at New Orleans by the Cuban Consul to to this authority, is one of the staple foods of the islands. China in return is a vast market for Cuban tobaccos and cigars, and the new line will CONSTIPATION. make possible an increased reciprocal

TO-DAY'S NEW

TO-DAY'S CABLES.

Reider's Service to the China Mail.)

TURKS WARNED.

ALLIES ARE IN ACCORD.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 26. French and Italian high-commissioners have informed the Ports of the peace conference decision with regard to Constantinople and warned it of the consequences of further misrule, Allied circles believe that this will dispel the doubts of the Allies' accord and further impress the Turk.

The memorandum described the provisions as giving Italy full satisfaction. A new agreement on Jan. 14 provided that Fiume should be an independent state and that the boundary between Italy and the Slovene state would be redrawn as would the socalled Wilson line in the region, of Senoseccia, with a view to protecting Trieste.

o Italy would retain Valona and take the Albanian mandate, but Greece would get Koritza and Argyrokastron. President Wilson's note of Jan. 19 protesting against this arrangement, declared that unless the terms of settlement returned to the provisions of the agreement of Dec. 9 he would seriously consider withdrawing the treaty of Versailles and the French treaty from the Senate. He inquired whether the Anglo-French intended in future to settle pending European questions and then communicate the result to the United States.

The Anglo-French ministers on February 17 replied that there was no foundation for President Wilson's assumption that the new settlement involved capitulation to Italy, and emphasised the advantage conceded to Jugo-Slavia, which was given control of 150,000 more nationals than under the original proposal. Finally the Anglo-French found difficulty in understanding the present attitude of the United States and hoped their explanations would lead to a reconsideration of Mr. Wilson's position.

THE KAISER.

LONDON, Feb. 27. The Telegraph states that the idea of banishing the Kaiser to a remote

island is abandoned and Holland is now considering removing him from Amerongen to a spot further from the frontier.

adriatic affairs.

AMERICA PUBLISHES CORRESPONDENCE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.

Correspondence on the Adriatic question now published reveals that a memorandum of Dec. 9, signed by France, Britiain and the United States gave Italy control over 300,000 Jugo-Slavs inhabiting the territory overlapping the Istrian frontier, while 40,000 Italians would be placed under the League of Nations. Fiume would be made a free state under the League, the cities Fiume and Zara to get complete autonomy, Italy to get a mandate for Albania, and Greece to control certain undefined territory.

CUNARD AT HAMBURG.

WHAT THIS MEANS.

LONDON: February 17.

The announcement that the Cunard line is making Hamburg a port of call is regarded as evidence of the Britishers' great bid for the world's carrying trade. Hitherto the Hamburg New York trade was a state subsidised German monopoly. The Cunard is now negotiating the purchase of large docking space at Humburg.

PEACE CONFERENCE JOBS:

LONDON, February 27. It is understood the Supreme Council has made progress towards a possible settlement in the Adriatic by direct negotiations between the Italian and Yugo-Slav delegates. It is reported that Signor Nitti expressed readiness thereanent. A Paris newspaper states Paderewski is journeying to London to acquaint the Supreme Council with the views of Poland as regards the question of peace with Soviet Russia.

IRELAND.

AMERICAN CARDINAL'S VIEWS

LONDO N. February 27. Telegram from New York says Cardinal Logue in the course of a statement disavows Sinn Fein and advocates the union of Ireland with the British Empire on dominion lines, but opposes dual parliamentary control.

HONGKONG HORTICUL-TURAL SOCIETY.

THIS YEAR'S SHOW.

The annual show of the Hongkong Horticultural Society was opened to-day at 2 p.m. at the Botanical Gardens. Those who take an interest in horticultural matters in Hongkong will not be surprised to learn that this year's show is a very poor one. Many promising plants have been rendered useless for show purpose owing to the Class bad weather and all flowering varieties have suffered, particularly on the Peak. Indeed, taking into consideration the adverse conditions, it is to be wondered that there were as many exhibits as are recorded. Vegetables have done well, particularly cabbages and some of the specimens almost constitute records for Hongkong. It is satisfactory to note that the hard working Hon. Secretary Mr. H. B. L. Dowbigging, has been awarded the challenge cup for Peak pot plants and again he takes first prize for carnations. Mr. Ho Kom Tong heads the list of winning exhibitors; his entries are very good.

The attendance throughout the day was average. The band of H.M.S. Hawkins provided music. At. five o'clock Mrs. N. J. Stabb will present the prizes.

The officials were: CONMITTEE: Messrs. L. Gibb (President), J. A. Plummer (Treasurer), H. B. L. Dowblegin (Secretary), Miss Wallace, Messrs. S. B. C. Ross, J. Taylor, E. J. Noronab, D. Harvey, W. J. Tutcher, N. In Watson. R. Baker and Commander Beckwith.

Judges: -Mr. Justice Gompertz, Commander Beckwith R.N., Messrs. N. L. Watson, J. W. Taylor, A. Nicol, L. N. Leefe, E. J. Aucott, H. Green, L. Gibbs, Mrs. Aubrey and Mrs. R. M. Dyer.

THE PRIZE LIST.

SECTION 1.

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1, U.S.R. Club; 2, K..C.C. 3.—3 pots of Salvia.

1, K.C.C.; 2, U.S.R. Club. *4.-6 pots of Annuals or plants raised from seed the same season (excluding Nasturtiums).

, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Lady Ho Tung.

"5.--3 pots of Annuals or plants raised from seed the same season and not included in Classes 1 to 3 and 6 to 39: , Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

6.-3 pots of Antirroinum. 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Hong kong Club; A.M., Hon, Mr. J. 7.-3 pots of Arums.

1, Mr. A. Nicol, 2, Mr. Ho Kom 8.-3 pots of Begonia (semper-

1, Sir Paul Chater; 2, Mr. G.

M. Shaw. *9 .- 3 pots "of Carnations and/or Picotees.

Kom Tong. 10.-3 pots of Dianthus, excluding

Sir Paul Chater; 2; Mr. Ho

Carnation, Picotes Sweet William.

Hangkong Club.

1, Sir Paul Chater; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 12.-3 pots Double Geraniums. 1. Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Hon.

Mr. J. Johnstone. 13.-3 pots of Dahlias, other than Cactus on Peony: No award.

14.-3 pots of Heliotrope. U.S.R.C.; 2, Hon. Mr. Johnstone: o

5.-3 pois-of Lurkspurs. 1. Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2. Sir Paul Chater.

*16-3 pots of Maiden Hair Ferns. Lady Ho Tung; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 17.-3 pots of Ferns, excluding

Maidenhair and Asparagus Plumosus. I. Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

18 .- 3 pots of Asparagus Plum-1. Mrs. Jordan; 2. Mr. Ho Kom

19,-3 pors of Freesia, white or lemon coloured. 1. Mrs. R. Makeham; 2. Mr. N. J. Stabb.

20.-3 pots of Freesia Hybrids. No exhibits. 21.-3 pots of Single Geraniums. 1. Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mrs.

Crockett. 22.-3 pots of Ivy-leaved Gera-1. Mr. Ho Kom, Tong 2, Mr.

23.-3 pots of Mignonette. 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Lady Ho Tung.

24.-3 pots of French Marigolds. 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Hon. Mr. J. Johnstone. *25,-3 pots of Annuals, Peren-

nials and/or any plants 1. Mr. Ho. Kom Tong; 2, Mr. will not be considered. A. Nicol.

26.-3 pots of Nasturaium (dwar varieties). 1. Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

27 .- 3 pots of Petunias. K.C.C.

*28,-3 pors of Pansies and/or 1, Mr. A. Nicol; 2, U.S.R.C. 29,-3 pots of Phlox Drummondii.

1. Mr. A. Nicol; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; A.M., Hongkong Club. *30.-3 poss of Primula.

Lady Ho Tung; 2, Mr. Kom Tong. *31.-3 pois of Roses. Disqualified (3 exhibits).

32.-3 pots of Violets. 1, Hongkong Club.

33.-3 pots of Verbena. 1, Mr. A. Nicol. 34.-3 pots of Linaria (tall varie-

1. Mr. A. Nicol. 35.-3 pots of Clarkia. 1. Mr. A. Nicol.

*36.—3. pots of Cinerarias. No award.

37.-3 pots of Stocks. 1. Sir Paul Chater; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 38.-3 pots of Tropacolum Cana-

riensie. H.C., Mr. Ho Kom Tong (one 39.-3 pots of Sweet Peas.

No award.

(Continued on Page 8.)

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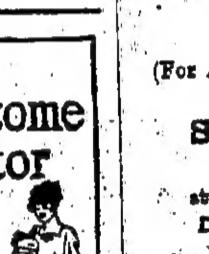
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Meantime it offers certain minor mitigations of our fate. Thus scientific England is fairly launched upon the quest of the brontosaurus in Central Africa, while with unwonted timeliness and precision, the British Government has released one hundred million gallons of Scotch whiskey. Our own prospect is less variegated: yet we must admit that life would not have been quite complete, or death wholly desirable, with curiosity unsatisfied as to what the town will be like upon a New Year's Eve that is dry. Then there is the promised encounter of Messrs. Dempsey and Carpentier and the candidacy of many aspirants to the Presidency.

Goethe observed in an epigram that he had a soul fortified against: the great tragedies of life, but had never yet learned to endure its minor ills-bores, hotel beds and garlic. Our case is the reverse. The great surcease is denied us, but nature in its minor moods still lives and will doubiless lead us forward, and cheerfully in the main, to the last moment of the appointed span.

One thought, however, will remain which is eternally disillusioning. In the vast cycles of unrecorded time, the lining out of the planets which we are enduring must have occurred again and again, with no break in the harmonious progress. of the solar system. Men whose life it is to know the skies assured us from the first that there was not the smallest jot of danger. Yet many of us have been consumed with terror, and most of us, if we are frank with ourselves, will admit a moment or two of uneasy imaginings. Contrast this with another event of the recent past. In the decade before 1914 men of note, whose business is to scan the political skies, assured us that Germany was preparing to overrun the world. Her own established writers proclaimed it. It We suffered no deeper uneasiness than at the word of the astrologer prophet of yesterday. In England the great national hero, Lord Roberts, gave his best efforts to the task of rousing his countrymen to their danger. In their rage at his clear, decisive statement they turned upon him. The popular description of man as a reasoning animal would be inclined towards optimism. Still, as in the Homeric age, we cringe before the soothsayer and abominate Cas-

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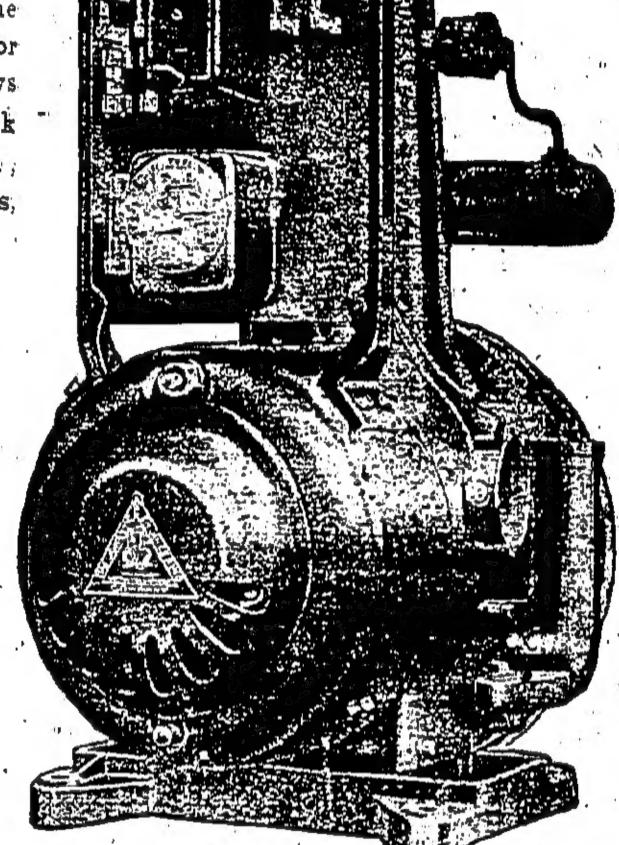
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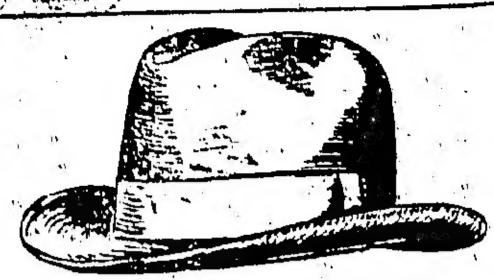
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*69,-3 pots of Primula.

*70.—3 pots of Roses.

Robert Ho Tung.

D. Moorhead.

71. -3 pots of Violets.

72.-3 pots of Verbena.

I, Mr. N. L. Watson.

74.- 3 pots of Clarkia.

*75.-3 pots of Cinerarias.

76.-3 pots of Stocks.

78.-3 pots of Sweet Peas.

No exhibits.

No exhibits.

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" riensie.

Robert Ho Tung.

L. Dowbiggin.

1. Mrs. J. Scott Harston.

63.-3 pots of French Marigolds.

*64.-3 pots of Annuals, Peren-

1. Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin; 2,

nials and/or any plants.

1. Mrs. Falconer; 2; Mr. H. B.

I., Mr. N. L. Watson; A.M.,

No prize award A.M., Com-

i. Mr. N. L. Watson: 2, Mr.

*67.-3 pots of Pansies and/or

68.-3 pots of Phlox Drummondii.

1. Mr. W. Sinclair; 2, Mr. A.

No prize award; A.M., Mr. N.

1. Mr. J. A. Plummer; 2, Sir

1. Minilda Hospital; 2, Mr. T.

1. Mr. T. D. Moorhead; 2, Sir

73.-3 pots of Linaria (Tall, varie-

77.-3 pots of Tropacolum Cana-

SECTION 3.

VEGETABLES, ETC. -- OPEN TO ALL EX-

CEPT PEAK GARDENS AND CHINESE

MARKET GARDENERS.

*79.—Collection of vegetables (not

less than six varieties and

not more in number of each

variety than may be exhibit-

ed in the class for that

variety... These must be

staged in a box not larger

than 4ft. x 4ft. x 3 inches

65.-3"pots of Nasturtiums (dwarf

Mr. C. D. Wilkinson.

HONGKONG HORTICUL-TURAL SOCIETY.

(Continued'. From Fage 5.) SECTION 25 PLANTS IN PORS-PEAR GARDENS

ONLY.

Class

40,-3 pots of Marguerite (Chry. santhemum frutescens). I. Mr. W. Sinclair 2, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin.

41.-3 pots of "Fall varieties): Nasturrium.

I. Matilda Hospital. 42.-3 pots of Salvia. 1. Commodore Gurner, R.N., 2,

Mr. J. A. Plummer. *43. - 6 pots of Annuals or plants raised from seed the same season (excluding Nasturtiums).

F. Mr. W. Sinclair; 2, Mr. A. H. Compton: *44.-3 pots of Annuals or plants

raised from seed the same season and not included in classes 40 to 42 and 45 to of Mr. J. A. Plummer; 2, Mr.

A. H. Comptons 45.-3 pois of Antirchinums. No award.

46.-3 pots of Arums. 4. Mr. C: E. H. Beavis: 2. Sir Robert Ho Tung. 47. 3. pots of Begonia (semper-

Horens L. Mr. J. A., Plummer; 2, Mrs. Scott Harston.

*48. -- 3 pots of Carnations and or Picotees. 1. Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin; 2,

Mr. T. D. Mooshead. 49. -- 3 pots of Dianthus revoluding Cannation, Picotee and Sweet William). 1. Mr. A. H. Compton; 2. Com-

modore Gurner, R.N. 50.-- 3 pots of Cactos and/or Peony Dahlias.

1. Mr. A. H. Compton; 2, Mr. Falconer. 51.-3 pots of double Geraniums. 1. Mrs. Scott Harston: 2, Mr.

C. D. Wilkinson. 52, 3 pots of Dahlias, other than, Cactus or Peony. " No prize award: H.C., Mrs.

Falconer. 53.-3 pots of Heliotrope: "1. Mrs. Scott Harston; 2. Mr. A. Phininer.

54 ... d pots of Larkspurs. F. Mr. T. D. Moorhead; 2, Mrs. R. M. Dyer. *55 .- 3 pois of Maiden Hair Ferns. | Class. No prize award; A.M., Mr. T.

E. Pearce. 55,-3 pots of Ferns texcluding Maidenhain and Asparagus Plumosusia

No award. 57, -- 3 pots of Asparagus Plumo-

No prize awards A.M., Mrs.-N.

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1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Flongwong Club; H.C., Mr. G. M.

Class.

80.-25 pods of French Beans. 1. Mr. Ho Kom Tong: 2, Mr. A. Nicol; H.C., Hongkong Club. 81.-6 Beets. 1. Mr. R. Baker; 2, Hongkong Club; H.C., Sir Paul Chater.

82.-25 Brussels Sprouts. 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Sir Paul Chater.

93.-4 Cabbages. Hongkong Club; 2, Chun Fing Yue: H.C., Mr. G. M.

Shaw'. 84,-4 Cauliflowers or Broccoli Tung H.C., Mr. A. Nicol.

85 .- 6 Carrots. 1. Hongkong Club; 2, Mr. A. Nicol: H.C., Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 86,-4 Heads of Celery. 1. Hongkong Club; 2, Sir Paul Chater; H.C., Mr. L. Gibbs.

87. -6 Lecks. Lady Ho Tung; 2, K.C.C.; H.C., Mr. A. Nicol.

SS.-6 Lettuces (cabbage varie-1. Sir Paul Chater; 2, Hongkong

Club. 89.-6 Lettuces (cos varieties). I, Hongkong Club; 2, Mr. G. M. Shaw. 90.-12 Onions.

"I, Mr. Ho Kom Tong: 2, K.C.C. 91.-6 Parsnips. 1, K.C.C.; 2, Mr. A. Nicol. 92.-25 pods of Peas. 1. Lady Ho Tung: 2, Mr. R.

Baker: H.C., Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 93:-12 Potatocs. 1. Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Lady

Ho Tung. 94.-25 Radishes. 1. Hon. Mr. J. Johnstone; 2, Mr. He Kem Tong.

95 .- 4 Savoy Cabbages. 1. Sir Paul Chater; 2, Hongkong 96.-12 Tomatoes.

1. Hongkong Club; 2, Mr. R. Baker. 97.-6 Turnips.

1.-Mr. H. Kom Tong; 2, Mr. A. Nicol: H.C., Lady Ho Tung. 98.-2 Vegetable Marrows. Hongkong, Club; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

99.-6 Kohl Rabi. 1. Mr. G. M. Shaw; 2, Hongkong Club.

100. —6 Endive. " 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mr. A. Nicol.

SECTION 4.

*101.—Collection of vegetables, (not | *129.-6 Carnations and/or Picotees, less than six varieties and not more in number of each variety than may be exhibited in the class for that staged in a box not larger than 4ft. x 4ft. and 3 inches

1. Mr. T. D. Moorhead; 2, Mrs. J. Scott Harston. .102.-25 pods of French Beans.

A.M., Mr. A. H. Compton (oneentry). 103.-6 Beets. 1, Mrs. J. Scott Harston; 2, Sir

Robert Ho Tung. 104.—25 Brussels Sprouts. 1. Mr. T. D. Moorhead; 2, Mr.

H. B. L. Dowbiggin 105.-4 Cabbages. 1. Mr. W. Sinclair; 2, Mrs. N. J. Stabb; H.C., Mr. N. L. Watson.

106.-6 Carrots. 1. Matilda Hospital: 2, Mr. T. D. Moorhead; H.C., Mr. C. D. Wilkinson. .

107 .- 4 Cauliflowers or Broccoli. 1. Mr. T. D. Moorhead; 2, Mr. C. E. H. Beavis. 108.-4 Heads of Celery.

1, Mrs. J. Scott Harston; Z, Mr. A. H. Compton. 109.-6 Leeks. 1. Mrs. J. Scott Harston; 2, Mr. T. D. Moorhead.

110 .- 6 Lettuces (cabbage varie-No exhibits.

111.—6 Lettuces (cos varieties). No exhibits.

142.-12 Onions. 1, Mrs. J. Scott Harston.

113.-6 Parsnips. , Mr. C. E. H. Beavis, 2, Mr. T. D. Moorhead. 114.-25 pods of Peas.

I, Mrs. J. Scott Harston (; 2, Mr. T. D. Moorhead. 115,-12 Potatoes. 1. Sir Robert Ho Tung; 2, Mr. T. D. Moorhead.

116,-25 Radishes. 1, Mrs. Scott Harstein; 2, Sir Robert Ho Tung.

Class 117.-4 Savoy Cabbages. 1. Mr. J. A. Plummer; 2, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin.

118.-12 Tomatoes. I, Matilda Hospital; 2, Mrs. J. Scott Harston. 119.-6 Turnips. 1, Mr. N. L. Watson; 2, Mr. C.

D. Wilkinson. 120.-6 Kohl Rabi. No award. 1. Mr. A. H. Compton; 2, Mr.

C. D. Wilkinson. 122 .- 6 Endive. I, Mr. N. L. Watson. SECTION 5. CUT FLOWERS, OPEN TO ALL EXCEPT

PEAK GARDENS AND CHINESE MARKET GARDENERS. *123.—12 bunches of Cut Flowers of not less than 6 distinct kinds; and not more than two vases of the same kind, flowers may be mixed, but any one kind must not appear in more than two vases; foliage other than that belonging to the flowers. in each vase not to be added. Vases will be supplied by the Society in which the flowers must be staged.

> hard wood shrubs are excluded). I, Lady Ho Tung: 2, Mr. A.

(Flowers from trees and

Nicol. *124:-6 bunches of Sweet Peas, containing 15 stems each, (one or more blooms on each stem), only one colour andly or variety in each bunch. Vases will be supplied by the Society, in which the flowers must be

I, Mrs. K. Hunter; 2, Mr. Ho-Kom Tong. *125.-6 bunches of Antirrhinum not

more than 5 heads in each vase. Vases will be supplied by the Society, which the flowers must be staged. 1. Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

*126.-3 Red or Pink Roses, to be shown in stands supplied by the Society. 1, Sir Paul Chater; 2, Mr. Ho. Kom Tong.

*127.-3 White or Yellow Roses, to be shown in stands supplied by the Society. 1, Sir Paul Chater; 2, Mr. N. Stabb.

*128.-3 Roses any Colour, to be shown in stands supplied by the Society. 1. Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mrs.

R. Makeham. to be shown in vases supplied by the Society. 1, Sir Paul Chater; 2, Mrs.

variety). These must be 1130 -6 Cactus and/or Peony Dahlias, to be shown in stands supplied by the Society. 1, Sir Paul Chater; 2, Mr. Ho-

Korn Tong; H.C., Mrs. Jordan. *131 _- 6 Dahlias other than Cactus stands supplied by the

*132.-6 bunches of Mignonette (not | *151.-! vase of Cut Flowers (to be more than 12 heads in each bunch), to be shown in stands supplied by the

Society. 1. Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Lady He Tung. *133.-6 bunches of Nasturtium (not

less than 4 distinct colours. and not more than 20 blooms in each bunch), to be shown in stands supplied by the Society. 1, K.C.C.

*1341-12 Pansies, to be shown in stands supplied by the Lady Ho Tung; 2, Mr. A.

Nicol: H.C., Mrs. Stevenson. *135.-- 6 bunches of Violets (not) more than 25 in each bunch), to be shown in stands supplied by Society. K.C.C.; 2, Mr. Ho Kom

Tong; H.C., Mr. N. J. Stabb. SECTION 6. CUT FLOWERS-PEAK GARDENS ONLY.

*136.--6" bunches of Cut Flowers of 6 distinct kinds and not more than 1 vase of the same kind, flowers may be mixed, but any one kind must not appear in more than vase; foliage other than that belonging to the flowers 'in each vase not to be added. Vases will be supplied

by the Society in which the flowers must be staged. (Flowers from trees and hard wood shrubs are excluded).

1, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin; 2 Mrs. Aubrey. bunches of Sweet Peas. containing 15 stems each. (one or more blooms on 'each stem), only one colour and/or variety in each bunch. Vases will be supplied by the Society, in which the flowers must be > staged.

No award. *138,-6 bunches of Antirthinum not more than 5 heads in each vase. Vases will be supplied by the Society, it " which the flowers must be staged.

No award. *139,-3 Red or Pink Roses, to be shown in stands supplied by the Society. f. Mr. T. E. Pearce; 2. Sin

Robert Ho Tung. 40,-3 White or Yellow Roses, K be shown in stands supplied by the Society. No award.

*141,-3 Roses any colour, to be shown in stands supplied by the Society. J. Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin; 2, Mr. T. E. Pearce.

*142.-6 Carnations and/or Picotees, to be shown in vases supplied by the Society. No prize award; A.M., Mr. T. D. Moorhead.

*143.-6 Cactus and/or Peony Dahlias, to be shown in stands supplied by the Society... 1. Sir Robert Ho Tung; 2, Mr.

A. H. Compton. *144.-6 Dahlias other than Cactus! or Peony, to be shown in stands supplied by the Society.

No prize award; A.M., Sir Robert Ho Tung. *145.-6 bunches of Mignonette (not more than 12 heads in each bunch), to be shown in stands supplied by the

Society. No prize award; A.M., Mr. N. L. Watson. *146.-6 bunches of Nasturtium (not less than 4 distinct colours. and not more than 20 blooms in each bunch), to be shown

in stands supplied by the Society. 1. Mrs. Aubrey; 2, Mr. W. Sin-*147 -- 12 Pansies, to be shown in

stands supplied by the Society. 1, Mr. N. L. Watson; 2, Mr.

T. E. Pearce. *148.-6 bunches of Violets (not more than 25 in each bunch), to be shown in stands supplied by the Society.

1, Mr. W. Sinclair; 2, Mr. T. D. Moorhead. SECTION 7.

GENERAL EXHIBITS -- OPEN TO ALL. or Peony, to be shown in *149.—2 Ladies' Flower sprays and Z Gentlemen's Button Holes... 1. Miss M. Loureiro. Sir Paul Chater; 2, Lady Ho 150.-6 Cut Roses. No entries.

judged for decorative effect). 1; Mrs. Makeham; 2, Mrs. F. Maitland. *152.—Basket of Cut Flowers for

children between the ages of 11 and 15 to be set up by the exhibitor without aid. 1, Miss N. Noronha: 2, Miss Joan

*153.-Basket of Cut Flowers for Class schildren aged 10 years and under, to be set up by the exhibitor without aid. Miss Joan Dowbiggin; 2,

Master William Stabb: H.C. Miss Alice Crockett. *154.—Table Decoration (First day only). To be shown on tables supplied by the Society, 7 feet by 4 feet.

1, Mrs. A. H. Compton; 2, Mrs. Falconer; A.M., Miss Gibbs. *155.—Display of Cut Flowers grown by exhibitor, shown in exhibitor's vases on tables supplied by the Society, 6 feet x 3 feet. .

1. Mr. Ho Kom Tong. *156.-3 pots of Cyclamen. Sir Paul Chater.

*157.-3 pots of Single Daffodilse No award. *158.—3 pots of Double Daffodils.

1, Hon. Mr. N.J. Stabb.

*159 .- 3 pots of Hyacinths. 1. Mrs. A. H. Compton; 2, Mr. E. L. Sim.

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*160.-3 pots of Narcissus (excluding Narcissus Tazetta).

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*162.—6. pots of Annuals or plants grown from seed the same season (excluding Nasturtiums). 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

*153.-3 pois of flowering plants of the same kind or variety Tung. grown from seed and not. included in the Society's list Tong. of flowering plants.

1, Mr. A Nicol. 164-1 pot of plant indigenous to Hongkong. 1. Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin. *165.- 1 pot of herbaceous plant.

No award.

*166.-6 pots of 3 annauls and 3 • flowering plants of any kind "open to Residents of Coast and West River Ports. Ne Award.

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Peak Pot Plants :- Mr. H. R. L. Dowbiggin. Cut Flowers (Peak) :- Sir Robert Cut Flowers (open) -Lady Ho Tung. Pot Plants (open):-Lady He Vegetables (open) :-- Mr. Ho Kom Vegetables (Peak) .- Mrs. J. Scott.

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Fowls, Hainan,-Hol Nam Kai ,, 35

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Turkeys, Cock,-Fo Kal Kung lb. 70

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Snipe,—Sha Tsui,... ... each 24

Phoesant, -Shan Kai.

Quall,-Om Ohun 25

Fruits.

Almonds. - Hang Tan lb. 43

Plug Ko 1, 22

Houng Ohin . 4

Ling Mung ... each #

Lai Chi Kon 15, 1,20

Shan-sheng Tim Chang 1b. 10

Apples, (California),-Kam Shan ...

Bananas, (bride's), Macas, - San-

Carambola, -Yeung To

Lemons, (America), - Bam Shan

Lichees, Dried, famall stone),-

Oranges, (Canton), Sweet-

Coccanuts,-Ye Tse each 8

Lemens, China, - Ling Mung ... 1b. 5

Oranges, Tim Chang , 20

Peers, (Canton), Cooking, -Sha Li ,, 14

Peanuts,-Fa Shang ,, 12

Plantain, - Tai Chin 3

Pamelo, Siam, -Taim Lo Yau ... each 12

Walnuts,-Hop To 1b. 18

Vegetables, &c.

Artichokes, -Ah Chi Chenk ...esch 10

Beans, Sproet,-Nga Tso... ... lb. 5

Long. -Tan Kok

Bitter Squash, -Fu Kwa ,

Brinjals, Green,-Ching Yun Kwa ,,

Cane Shoots, bunch, - Kau Shun ,,

Celery Chinese,-Tong Kan Tsoi ..

Chillies, Dried,-Kon Lat Chiu ,, 20

Curry Stoff, English, - Ka Li Chu Liu

Cucumbers. - Ching Kws each 3

Garlie,-Sun Tau Ih. 6

Ginger, young, -Son Tee Keeng ,, 8

Hofsersdish, Shaughai, -Lik Kan ... 10

Indian Corn, -Shuk Maleach 6

Lettuce,-Young Shang Tsoi ... lb. 8

Water Chestnute,-Ma Tal ... lb. 5

Mandarin,-Kwal

Mushrooms, Fresh,—Shang Tso Ku lb. —

Okroes "... lb. 10

Onions, Bombay, -Young Chung Tau lb. 14

, Japanese, - Yat Pun Shu Teal lb.

Pumpkin,-Tung Kwa. " ... Ib. 4

American, -Fa Ki Shu Tsai lb.

Opinns, Green,-Shang Chang lb.

Parsley,-Kun Troi

Potato, Sweet, -Fan Shu ...

Radich,-Hung Lo Pak Tell : ... in

Rhubarb (Fresh),-Tal Wong ... "

Bhallots .- Kong Chong Tru

Spinsch,-Yim Tsol

Tomabees. Fan Ke ves see see see

Tares -- Wa Tas

Ternipe, Panti, (Long), -I.o Pak ... Vegetable Marrow, -Tuit Ewa...

Water Cram,-Sal Yeung Tuel... ..

Lily root, Lin Ngatters 19

Yama, -- Tai Shu

Onions, Shanghal, Shenng-hoi

Lam Ma Tal ... , 6

Chung Tau

Ginger, old,-Lo Keeng ,,

Red,-Hung Fa.Chiu ... , 15

Green,-Ching Lat Chin .. -

(Medium),

(Small).

Carrots. - Kam Shun ...

Cauliflower (Large), -Ye Tsoi Fa each 20

Cabbage Chinese, (common),-

Red.-Hang Kee

" (Shanghai)—Ye Tioi ... , 10

Kai Taol .. 4

Grapes, -Po Tai Tsz. ... i.. ...

Persimmons, Large, -Hung Tse ,,

Partridges,—Che Ku:

Holhow,-Hol Hau Pak Kap

MARCH 1st, 1920.

Butcher Meat.

Boel Sirioin.—Mel Lung Pa lb. 20 Prime Cut 20 Corned,—Ham Ngau Yuk 20 Reast.—Shiu 20 Brast.—Ngau Nam 15 Soup,—Tong Yuk 18 Steak,—Ngau Yuk Pa 19 Steak Sirioin.—Ngau Lau 30 Bausages. — Ngau Cheung 16 Solleck's Brains,—Ngau No per set 10		Char
Corned,—Ham Ngan Yuk. 20 Roast.—Shin 20 Brast.—Ngan Nam 15 Soup,—Tong Yuk 16 Steak,—Ngan Yuk Pa 19 Steak Sirloin,—Ngan Lau 30 Bansages. — Ngan Cheung 16	Seef Strioln, -Mel Lung Pa lb.	20
Corned,—Ham Ngan Yuk		20
Rosat.—Shin 20 Brast.—Ngan Nam 15 Soup.—Tong Yuk 16 Steak.—Ngan Yuk Pa 19 Stoak Sirloin.—Ngan Lau 30 Bansages. — Ngan Cheung 16	Corned Ham Ngau Yuk.	50
Brant,—Ngan Nam Soup,—Tong Yuk Steak,—Ngan Yuk Pa Steak Sirloin,—Ngan Lau Sansages, — Ngan Cheung 15		20
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Stoak Sirloin,-Ngan Lau 30 Bansages, - Ngan Cheung 16		1.9
Bansages, - Ngan Cheung 16		30
		16
	Sollock's Brains, -Ngan No per set	10

Tongue, fresh, -Ngan Li each 50 Tongue, corned,-Ham Ngan Li each 60 cents. Head - Ngan Tau ... | cach Heart,-Ngan Sam ... lb. 13 Homp, Salt-Ngan Kin ... 18 Feet,-Ngan Kenk ... each 10 Kidneys,-Ngan Yiu ...-Ngan Mal Liver,-Ngan Kon... lb. 18 Tripo (undressed), Ngau To Ib. 5

mc-keck set \$1.10 Mutton Chop, - Young Pel Kwas 1b. 82 Leg. - Yearg Pel 19 32 Shoulder. - Young Shau Saddle,-Young On Tuk ,. 32 Pig's Chitlings,-Chu Chong Brains,-Chu No per set 2 Feet,-Chu Keuk lb. 15 . Fry Chu Chap 17 Hend,-Chu Tau 14 Heart, -Chu Sam ... each 10 .. Kidneys,-Chu Yiu ... each 8: Liver, - Cha Ken ... lb. 30 Pork Chop,-Chu Pal Kwat Leg.-Cha Pel... Loin,-Chu Hau Tun

Calves" Head and Feet, - Ngan-teal-

Fab or Lard, -Chu Yau... Sheep's Head and Foet,-Yeung Tau-Keuk... ... set 70 Heart-Young Sam ... each 10 Kidneys,-Yeung Yid cach 12 Liver,-Yeung Kon ... 1b. 32 Sucking Pigs, to order,-Chu Tsal .. 24 Such Beck-Shang Ngas Yau ... , Mutton.-Shang Young Yau ... 32 Veal -- Ngau Tsai Yuk... ... 20 Sansages, -Ngan Tsat Chenng20

Fish.

	Barbel,—Ka Yu	***	***		PP.	
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	Carp,-Li Yu		414	***	13	
	Catfish, -Chik Yu			***	11	
	Codfish, - Man Yu				19 .	
	Orabe,-Hales				"	
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	Mullet,—Tasi Yu.,		***	***	11	
	Oysters,—Shang E		***	***	11	, !
•	Parrot Fish,-Kal	Knng	Yu		99	
	Perch,-Tan Lo	***	***		19	
	Pike,-Fa Pan For		***		18	
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the last, and the court

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reason for Josiah's presence in the

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strate asked him to bring his story

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arrested for fighting outside a tube

Josiah, whose breast was covered

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as one who had been dead and had

help it; such was his joy in life. On

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and a lady asked him if he was the man who started the war. He reproved her, because she was under the influence of drink, and he happened to be a temperance man himself. Her husband joined in and struck him on the eye, and the fight, occasions were among the exciting as witheseed by the occasions were among the exciting the natural consequence. as witnessed by the policeman, was Josish then isunched out on a

most graphic history of the walking stick he carried, and which had been in the family for many years, but the magistrate decided that he had heard sufficient for the purposes of the case, and remarked: "If you fought half as well as gou talk, your country descrives well of you, and you will merely be bound over on this occasion?

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himself out of danger, and although To-morrow he hopes to loop the loop. Bux chased him all round the floor EX-EMPEROR OF CHINA'S BIRTHhe was not able to inflict as much after a while, and every time Bux two occasions, the blow landed, they on the mark. The third upper-cut Bux avoided by ducking and closing with his man. Bux jabbed Hewlett three times in the wind in quick succession, but in getting away received a right swing full to the Bux fidured Hewlett with a heavy body blow just before the close of the second round. The round was a whirlwind affair, with being exchanged freely Neither did very much damage in this round, at the end of which the applauded A minute's respite followed Bux went rounds with Seaman Webb, the Featherweight who some time ago punished "Teddy "Neal so severely in a ten-round bout at the Bux was at first inclined to forget that Webb was only a featherweight and went for him hammer and tongs, scoring freely with heavy lefts and rights. Webb braved the hurricane very sportingly, and despite the fact that he was used rather roughly, he stuck to his man and put in several good blows now and then." In the second round, although Bux forced the pace, he did not employ his previous offensive methods, and Webb began to hit him more freely, but with little or no effect. Bux jolted Webb under the jaw playfully, and then run away with Webb after him, landing some punches to head and body which Bux received unconcernedly. In the third round, Bux invited his man to fight faster, himself setting up a great speed, but the two previous rounds had already proved to be too quick for Webb, who was by this time spent, and could not reply. Bux reduced his pace, and allowed Webb to attack, and the latter fought pluckily, punching Bux with all his might. Webb was well applauded after the third round. Bux showed signs of his appreciation of Webb's services by patting him on

Bux will train at the V.R.C., again this evening, when it is hoped to get "Eddie" Walters to put in a few "minutes' work with him.

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CHINA TO-DAY.

LONDON, Feb. 25. · The explorer Doctor Geil, interviewed on his return from China, where he has been studying the five Holy Peaks, emphasised that the Chinese had immensely progressed towards modern civilisation in recent years. He declared the young Chineed were crazy to learn English. The Chinese were becoming more and more kindly disposed towards Enghish-speaking visitors. There was also a strong new movement among all classes in favour of Christianity. On the contrary the number of pilgrims to the sacred mountains was annually decreasing. The old gods were falling into decay. He regretted that since prohibition in America strong efforts were being made to transfer the liquor trade to China:

THE SILVER MARKET.

LONDON, February 26th. training. Then came the question Mesars. Montagu's report states that of getting a sparring partner. Bux the silver market is fairly steady, despite had expected to have a couple the somewhat alarming drop of 6d, on of rounds with Maher, who is the Shanghai exchange as compared with also training at the V.R.C., the quotation before the Chinese New but the latter did not turn up. The Year. Sellers naturally ask how the ever helpful "Jack" Wildin came to Ohinese situation has changed, and point the rescue by offering the services of out that China commodities are likely Hewlett, but not before he had ex-unrest has not yet been allayed and the plained to Bux that Hewlett had spar- enquiry for silver from the heart of Asia red several times with "Sky." Bux cannot be transitory, for it is based on a

MISSING HONGKONG STEAMER.

LONDON, February 26th. ring partner for Kerrison, he The steamer Hauroto, of Hongkong, will suit me nicely. I know what which sailed from Snigon for Hongkong you mean by telling me beforehand on July 26th last and was not heard of since, has been posted at Lloyds as mis-

THE "RHEINLAND" CARGO.

ADEN, February 26th. The steamer Rheigland, which arrived that Hewlett is Kerrison's trainer here with her cargo on fire, has had her cargo in 4 and 6 holds very little ready to start work as soon as he is." damaged, but the cargo in No. 5 hold was Three rounds with Hewlett seriously damaged by fire and water. The hull was apparently undamaged.

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PERING, March 3rd. For the first time Peking witnessed heavy blow, on the back of the acrial stunts to-day. Captain Mackenzie head. In the next round, Hewlett took up the first two Avros and did the

DAY RECEPTION.

The ex-Emperor's bigthday reception was largely attended. The old officials present performed nine kowtows.

QUEER BORNEO NAMES

It must be a matter of difficulty for a member of the tribe of Kayans of Borneo to keep track of his name. Among those people, when a child is born, it receives the name of some repulsive object or is simply called "it," so that, not having a distinctive name, the evil spirits cannot identify it and cause it harm!

When the child is 2 or 3 or 4 years old they name it, say, Tijan. The father is thereafter known as Tama Tijan-Tama meaning "the father of "-and the mother is known as Inai Tijan-mother of Tijan. The father's original name, Kebing, for example, is dropped, and frequently it is forgotten unless there are other fathers of Tijans. In that case the father is known as Tama Tijan Kebing, father of Tijan, formerly

If Tijan dies, then Tama Tijan's name becomes Oyong Kebing (meaning "Kebing the Bereft," provided Tijan was the oldest child.) If a younger child dies, the father comes Akam Kebing; if his wife dies, he becomes Aban Kebing. he becomes a grandfather, his name will be Laki Kebing. Laki is distinctly an honorary title, like its. equivalent, datu, among the Malays. With those people datu is superior to the title hadji, borne by one who has made the pilgrimage to Mecca. Datu, literally grandfather, is equiva-

lent to elder with us. Among the Kayans it is a breach of manners to ask a man what his name"is. If a white man does so through ignorance the man will turn to a bystander and ask that the stranger, who does not know the customs, may be informed. If a man tells his own name the evil spirits will hear him and can more readily do him harm.-New York Sun.

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Thursday March 4. The P. & O.-B.I. & A.L. s.s. Japan left Singapore for this port on the 26th ultimo at a.m. and is due here

on the 5th instant at about a.m. The N.Y.K. s.s. Aisutu Maru (Enropean Line) left Sharghai for this port on the 2nd March and is expected here on the 5th March.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yokohama Maru (European Line) left Singapore for this port on the 28th Feb. and is expected here on the 5th March.

The American and Marchuria Line a.s. Swari from New York sailed from Cebu on lat in tant and is due to arrive here on the 5th instant at

The N.Y.K. s.s. Shinryu Maru (Bombay Line) left Bombay for this port direct on the 15th February and is expected here on the 6th March.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nichiyo Maru (Bomba) Line) left Bombay for this port direct on the 17th Feb., and is expected here on the 8th March.

he Frank Waterhouse & Co., s.s. Maquan from Seattle left Kobe for this port on 2nd instant, and may be expected arrive here on or about 8th March.

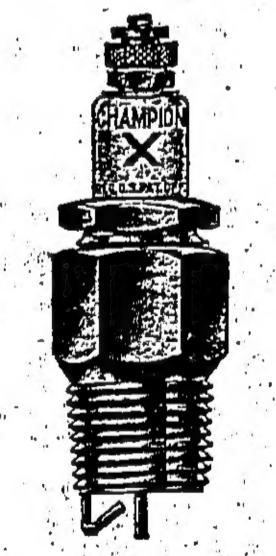
The N.Y.K. s.s. Wakua Maru European Line) left London for this port via the Sucz Canal on the 29th Jan. and is expected here on the 11th March.

The Amicalerecently organised in Hongkong decided to hold friendly meetings every fortnight. are the announced meetings for this month at the Helena May Institute. The Ladies' Golf Club will meet on Thursday March 4th at 11 a.m. The Benevolent Society will meet on Tuesday 16th of March at 10.30 a.m. The Mothers' Union will meet on that same day at 3 p.m. There will be an extra B. & F. Bible Society meeting this month on Tuesday 16th at 5.15. p.m.

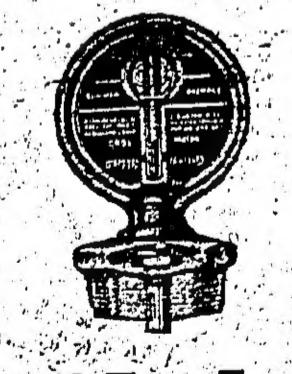
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THURSDAY, Merch 4. Straits-Per WARAMATSU MARU. Manila—WEST SEQUANA.
FRIDAY, March b.
Shanghai—Per ATSUTA MARU. Straits-Por JAPAN. Shanghai-Per SHANTUNG.

Straits-Per YOKOHAMA MARU. MONDAY, March 8. Bombay-Per NICHIYO MARU.
THURSDAY, March 11.
Straits-Per WAKASA MARU,
SUNDAY, March 14.
Straits-Per HEIMEI MARU,

SUTEIRD MAILS.

THURSDAY, March 4. Macac - Per CHUENCHOW, 4.15 p.m. Japan via Kobe—Per LAISANG, 5 p.m. Swatow, Shanghai and North China -Per KWONGSANG, 5 p.m. Hoihow-Per NAM WAN, 5 p.m. Hoihow and Haiphong-Per OHUNG-HING, 5 p.m. FRIDAY, March 5.

Macao-Per SUI AN, 8.15-a.m. Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per HAIHONG, Noon. Foochow—Fer TONGLEE, 1 p.m. *Straits, *Bangkok and Calcutta—Per

Philipping Islands—Per LOONGSANG, Macso-Per CHUENCHOW, 4.15 p.m. SATURDAY, March 6.

Shanghai, North China, Japan, via Nagasaki, Horolulu, Canada, *United States, *Central and South America and *EUROPE SAN FRANCISCO—Per NILE, Registration 9.15 a.m. Letters

Shanghai, North China and Japan via Kobe-Per YOKOHAMA Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi, L. Marques. Egypt and EUROPE via MARSEILLES Par ATSUTA MARU, Registra-tion 9.45 s.m. Letters 10.30 a.m. Macao—Par SUI TAI, 1.15 p.m.

Saigon-Per TJILEBOET, 2 p.m. Shanghai, North China-Per CHENAN Macao-Per CHUENCHOW, 4.15 p.m.

SUNDAY, March 7. Macso-Per SUI AN, 8.15 a.m. Swatow, Amoy and Formosa via Kee-lung-Per KAIJO MARU, 9 a.m. MONDAY, March 8.

Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, L. Marques, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi; Egypt and EUROPE via MARSEILLES— Per KASHMIR, Registration 8 s.m. Monday, 8th Letters The Parcel Mail will be closed

on Saturday, Mar. 6th at 5 p.m. Java and Port Moresby via Batavia-TJIKINI, 11 a.m. TUESDAY, March 9. +Swatow and *Bangkok—Per CHANG-

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The as. TUNGSHING, Chi., 768 tons from Shanghai, Capt. H. Udden, Kwong The s.s. DEVAWONGSE, Brit. 1,047 tons, from Saigon, Capt. Shearer, Kwong Nguan Seng C47. The s.s. FOOSHING, Brit., 1,423 tons,

from Wuhu, Capt. Robertson, J., M. & Co. The s.s. WEST KADER, Amer., 2,58 tons; from Shanghai, - Capt. Johnsen. Struthers and Dixon As. The s.s. WENCHOW, Brit., 569 tons, from Swatow, Capt. Harrison, B. & S.,

The s.s. NAM WAN, (Port.), cleared to-day and will sail for Hoihow at 7 a.m. The s.s. LAISING, (Brit.), cleared to-day and will tall for hoos. It

The s.s. HOK OAN TON. (Ohi.), cleared-

to-day and will sail for Kwong Chow Wan at 9 a.m. to-morrow. DEPARTURES.

The s.s. TAIAN MARU, (Jap.), Capt. Y. Kawashims, Agents N.Y.K., left for Kobe to-day. The B.J. WHEATLAND MONTANA (Amer.), Capt. McNelley, Agents Admiral Line left for Seattle via Manila to-day. The s.s. LUABO, (Port. 1, Capt. J. d'Oliviera, Agents De Bouss & Co., left for Lourenco Marques to day. The s.s. SHI-E WMARU. (Jap.), Capt. Matsuzski Agents O.S.K., left for Saigon

to-day, The s.s. UNTEN MARU, (Jap.), Capt Kurujima, Agents Yasyamatanko leit ion Takao to-day.

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The s.s. "Tung Shing," Capt. H. Udden, 768 tons, arrived yesterday

at 6.40 p.m. from Shanghai with 800 The s.s. "Chenan" Capt, H. America and EUROPE Laver, 1,355 tons, arrived yesterkay

SAN FRANCISCO-Per at 10.45 s.m. from Swatow 1,067

and EUROPE via bage of mail and 500 tons of rice. The s.s. "Tientsin" Capt. F. M. soon visited, but Dillon, 1,227 tons, arrived yesterday was playing steadily,

The s.s. "Dunera" (Capt. Walker) sailed for Shanghai at 7 a.m., to-day. the S. Iriye) sailed for Kobe at noon to- the. s.s. "Sinking" (Captain their

to-day with 2,000 tons of general s.s. "Chongva" (Captain Fletcher) sailed for Haiphong at 8 a,m. to-day with 350 tons of genera

Nagareiro) sailed for Kowong Wan at 6 a.m. to-day-with 150 of general cargo.

HAD A DAGGER.

Inspector Macdonald this morning charged a Chinese before Mr. Irving with the unlawful possession of a dagger. He said the weapon belonged to a man named Lai Yue who gave

it to him to keep. Insp. Macdonald said that acting on information received, the West Point Police stopped the defendant in Water Street and searched him. In kong Police Force who early in 1915 his girdle was found the dagger. went home to join up and by virtue of The Inspector said it was a danger- valuable services rendered, worked ous weapon, and asked for a heavy his way from the ranks to a Cappenalty as this sort of offence is be taincy, returned to the Colony yescoming common lately. "terday by the s.s." Dunera "looking \$500 fine or six weeks, and the quite fit. He reported for duty this dagger confiscated.

FOOTBALL.

UNITED SERVICES LEAGUE

"TAMAR," 2: WILTSHIRES 1.

A very interesting and closely contested game in the United Services League was witnessed on the Navy ground, Happy Valley, last evening when the "Tamar" beats the Wilts. by two goals to one. The match opened fast, with the

Wilts on the offensive, but Amy The s.s. "Devawonse," Capt. C. cleared. Taliana and his inside W. Shearer, 1047 tons, strived yes right partner combined well, and States, Central and South terday at 6 p.m. from Saigon with 2 between the two, by means of quick passes, the Wilts. goal was at 1.30 p.m. from Chin Wan Tao, their progress and punted to midfield. Amor got possession and was soon tearing down the field towards the Tamar goal. He received some valuable assistance from Evans, and between the two of them, they gave the goalie a hot time. A melee in front of goal resulted in the Wilts. securing the lead. From the centre, "Tamar" attacked and had The s.s. "Rangoon Maru" (Capt. very hard lines in not equalizing, ball going over the cross

day with 100 tons of general cargo. bar. However, they stuck to guns, and pressed with Barkus) sailed for Shanghai at noon such determination, that at last they were rewarded for their pains Taliana scoring. The Wilts. pressed for a good while after this, but despite the fact that they forced severa corners, they could not find the net Midfield play followed, in which the forwards of both sides tried all they knew to get an advantage, resulting in a fine exhibition of footwork, After a while, the "Tamar" forwards broke through, and a long shot was sent in. The Wilts' goalie saved this nicely, but one of the attackers caught it on the rebound and netted with a swift shot. Despite strenuous efforts by the Wilts, to equalize, no more goals were scored, and the Tamar! retired winners of hard fought match by two goals to one.

> Another imported case of smal pox is reported.

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